

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<u>In re application of:</u>	August 29, 2007
<u>Gabrani</u>	Group Art Unit: 2616
<u>Serial No. 10/650,316</u>	Examiner: Brian Roberts
<u>Filed: August 28, 2003</u>	IBM Corporation
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2007,
Applicants submit the following:

Amendments to the Specification as set forth on page
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Amendments to the claims as reflected in the Listing
of Claims which begins on page 3; and

Remarks which begin on page 7.